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CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. E. R. Arrol, R.A., Minister

Services Sunday next:
11.00 a.m., Senior school.
2.00 p.m., Junior school.
7.30 p.m., Public Worship.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE

Rev. W. E. Brown

Services Sunday next—
12 Noon, Sunday School.
7.30 p.m., Evening service.

SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Lieuts. S. Nahrney and R. Hammond, Officers in charge.

Sunday services:
11.00 a.m., H.-ness Meeting.
8.00 p.m., Sunday School.
7.30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.

Tuesday: 7.30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.
Wednesday: Suburban Brownies at 4.30 p.m., Boys' Club 6 p.m.

Thursday: 8 p.m., Prizes Meeting. Funerals and dedications on application to the local office.

BELLEVUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Evangelist: Alfred Siple

11 a.m., Sunday school.
7.30 p.m., Evangelistic service.
We preach the Victory Plan of Christ, and invite you.

HILLCREST UNITED CHURCH

Services every Sunday at 8 p.m.

BELLEVUE UNITED CHURCH

Services at 7.30 p.m. every Sunday.

COWLEY UNITED CHURCH

Services alternate Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock.

Rev. W. H. IRWIN, Minister.

CARNIVAL IN JUNE

A grand carnival is being sponsored by St. Anne's church members to be held in the Blairmore arena on the nights of Saturday and Monday, June 17 and 19.

The major prize will be a Hudson Bay blanket plus one dollar from every three dollars' worth of tickets sold, to be drawn for on the Monday night. The prize for Saturday will be a Hudson Bay blanket only.

HENRY WALTER STILL ALIVE

Many Blairmore oldtimers will remember the night porter of the Cosmopolitan hotel in Abe Sparks' day, both in the old hotel and the new one.

Well, Henry is still alive, and judging by the following received from him, is good for a while yet. Yahl!

Penticton, BC, May 10, 1944.

Hallo, Oldtimer:

Enclosed 2 bucks. Send your Eye-opener to Henry Walter, BC Hotel, Penticton, BC. You remember me. I was chief engineer at the Cosmopolitan Hotel. Today is my birthday. I was born in 1868. I am lumber as a cat. I got a wolf's appetite and sleep like a bear. I am a sauerkraut eater and lager beer killer and, as the saying goes, an apple a day keeps the doctor away; and onions and garlic keeps the Reeper away. Savvy? And if you see Abe Sparks, show this letter to him.

Night Doukhobers, five men and three women, were at Prince Albert, Sask., sentenced to one month in jail and fines of from \$50 to \$100 upon conviction under National Registration regulations.

FORMER BLAIRMORE BOY A VALLEYFIELD VICTIM

HMS Valleyfield was torpedoed and sunk in the North Atlantic with a loss of about 135. Among the missing in Leading Cabin John Sydney Rudd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rudd, of 846 1/2 Ave. NW, Calgary, and formerly of Blairmore. Sydney was 20 years of age and born in Blairmore. He was home to leave in January and was transferred to the Valleyfield shortly after returning to duty.

CAPT. E. C. COSSICK PROMOTED

Promotion of Capt. Edwin C. Cossick, paymaster at No. 13 District Depot, Calgary, since December of 1941, to the rank of major was announced last week by headquarters. Capt. Cossick formerly of Bellevue and Blairmore, served as paymaster in Canada, England, and France in the First Great War, and saw three years and a half of service. He was assistant accountant of the West Canadian Collieries Limited for twenty-five years prior to being appointed to the RCMP in 1941.

The Amazon river basin is almost as large as the United States.

TELLS OF ORTONA ACTION

According to Pte. F. H. Rees, of Hillcrest, one of the 50 Canadian soldiers returning to Calgary from overseas the early part of the week, the Germans put up a tough fight to hold Ortona. Suicide troops had been left to hold the town at all costs.

Pte. Rees is at present a patient in the Colonel Belcher hospital. He lost both legs when struck by a high explosive shell on December 23rd. It happened on the main street of Ortona when they were ordered to take an objective about 200 yards away. They had previously taken a side street from the Germans, and then moved to the main one.

Pte. Rees, whose wife lives in Hillcrest and parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Rees, reside in Bellevue, was born in Durham, England, and came to Canada in 1929. He enlisted with the Edmonton Fusiliers in 1940, and after spending some time training on the west coast went overseas in September of 1942 as reinforcement for the Loyal Edmontonians.

Capt. D. J. Dillon, formerly of Pincher Creek, was recently decorated with the Military Cross for gallantry. Capt. Dillon is now operating in Italy.

FAREWELL TO REV. AND MRS. J. R. HAGUE

Following the evening service at St. Alban's church, Coleman, on Sunday last, parishioners gathered in the hall to bid farewell to Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Hague.

After a delicious luncheon, the chairman for the evening spoke briefly of the work done by Mr. Hague during his pastorate in this district of some six years, and expressed good wishes of the parishioners for his success in his new parish. Mr. Hague was presented with a \$50 Victory Bond, and Mrs. Hague a beautiful table lamp.

Mr. and Mrs. Hague expressed their appreciation of the kindness, saying that many happy memories of the Pass will remain with them. They left on Monday of this week for their new home and mission at Innisfail-Penhold, and will temporarily reside at Penhold.

Roy Beavers, of Calgary, has been elected chairman of the Alberta branch of the Canadian Restaurant Association.

Born to Sergeant and Mrs. E. W. Munro (nee Margaret Patterson) at Blairmore on April 29th, a daughter.

MRS. N. KURLUK PASSES AT VANCOUVER

The remains of Mrs. Nicholas Kurluk, who passed away at Vancouver on May 9th, were brought back to Blairmore on the Friday afternoon train, and interment took place at Coleman on Sunday afternoon. Deceased, a native of Strakonitz, Czechoslovakia, was in her 52nd year. She came to Homer in 1912, and to Bellevue in 1925, where she resided until October of 1942, when she moved to Vancouver. Left to mourn are her husband; two daughters, Mrs. J. Holyk and Mrs. H. Hewitt, of Coleman, and one son, Harry, at the University of Toronto.

By a vote of 93 to 20 the House of Commons at Ottawa refused to give second reading to a bill to incorporate the proposed Alberta Provincial Bank. The bill was referred to the House Banking and Commerce committee. J. H. Blackmore, Social Credit leader and sponsor of the bill, said Alberta felt the provinces should have their own banks; that if this policy had been followed, Canadian economy would be in a better position.

A Nova Scotia couple went over to Scotland to get married, figuring it was cheaper over there.

MOTHER'S DAY

Mother's Day was fittingly observed at Central United church on Sunday last, when morning and evening services were held.

In the morning the church was radiant with happy young people, and equally happy parents and friends of the young. As the church bell tolled the hour of worship, the children fled in to the strains of "Onward, Christian Soldiers." Under the leadership of Mrs. S. G. Bannan, both Sunday schools rendered three choruses. Four girls, members of Miss Dorothy Moore's group, Shirley Montalbeti, Irene Mudman, Hazel Reese and Audrey Pinkney, represented mothers of pioneer days and the present, each mother adding her contribution to the religious life of the family, church and community. This was followed by an appropriate chorus, the whole group taking part. Mrs. Jack Borman very effectively told the story of the early home life of Madam Chiang Kai Shek, emphasis being placed upon the deep devotion to the Christian faith of her father and mother. Taking part in the Scripture responses were Thelma Smith, Geraldine Kemp and Kathleen Oliver, members of Miss Dorothy Hamilton's group. The little tots in the beginners' class sang "Jesus bids us shine." The congregational hymns, all familiar to the children, were heartily sung by the congregation. Roy Tucker and Arthur Comfort served as ushers and received the offering, and Elsie Arrol presided at the organ.

A large congregation again gathered for the evening service, when the choir, led by Mr. Moffatt, acceptably rendered two anthems and a trio, while the orchestra played "My Mother's Bible." A message in keeping with the theme of Mother's Day was given by the minister, Rev. E. B. Arrol, R.A.

TOM LONGWORTH'S SON IS KILLED IN ACTION

Sergt. Jack Longworth, 32, son of Thomas Longworth, of the Alexandra hotel, Calgary, and formerly of Bellevue, has been killed in action in Italy, according to word received by Mr. Longworth on Tuesday.

On the day previous, Mr. Longworth received a letter from his son in which he said he had invested \$250 in the Sixth Victory Loan, and added: "I might as well do that with my money for there are no pockets in a shroud."

Born at Lethbridge, Sergt. Longworth was educated in Edmonton and had been in partnership with his father at Calgary. He is also survived by his wife, residing at the Alexandra. His mother died last year. Enlisting in the 4th Petrol Company, RCASC, at Calgary in July of 1940, he went overseas the following year. Since September last he had been serving in Italy.

A TIMELY WORD OF WARNING!

The nuisance of domestic stock roaming within the town limits was dealt with over the week end, when Chief Mills impounded several animals and the owner was fined in court. The Chief will apply the same measure to saddle ponies that are allowed to wander about, causing damage to public and private property.

NEW C.P.R. SUPERINTENDENT

Watson S. Hall has come back to Southern Alberta this week, as general superintendent of Canadian Pacific lines. It is nearly forty years since he ranged the rail lines of this part of the west as a very junior officer of the company. He was stationed in Macleod early in the century as trainmaster and was later at Cranbrook.

SUBSCRIBE TODAY!

THE STORY OF INFLATION ...IN ONE EASY LESSON

In wartime, more people are working

and there is more money to spend

but half of what is made is for war

so consumers can't get all they want

and people will bid more for what is available

so prices go up...

and workers need higher wages

costs of production go up

and producers and dealers need higher prices

and the vicious spiral of inflation gets started

but wages and salaries don't catch up with living costs

the spiral grows — and the sky is the limit

money buys less and less

hardship and confusion sweep over factory, farm and home

50¢ To Protect Us All from the Rising Cost of Living and the Disaster of Inflation

a ceiling is set on prices

wages and salaries are controlled to prevent higher production costs from pushing up the ceiling

and excess profits are taxed away

and individual incomes are taxed more heavily

Victory Loans are launched

to pay the costs of war

supplies are divided fairly among producers and merchants

rationing is introduced to ensure a fair share to everyone

at prices within the reach of everybody

and nobody is permitted to take advantage of the war to get more than his share

while the boys are out there fighting

(This advertisement is one of a series being issued by the Government of Canada to emphasize the importance of preventing a further increase in the cost of living now and deflation later.)

Polish C-in-C



Lieut.-Gen. Kasimir Sosnkowski, supreme commander of Poland's army, navy, air force and underground.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Netherlands has contributed more than 2,000,000 tons to the shipping pool created by the United Nations.

The Disabled Persons Assn. of America revealed in a survey of war industries that absenteeism among disabled workers is less than among other personnel.

Six Italian spies, members of a German espionage ring, who crossed into the Allied lines in Italy were executed after trial by an Allied military court.

Thieves removed about 500 women's dresses and two-piece suits after burrowing through the wall between bombed premises and a dress shop in London.

Members of the British Women's Army Auxiliary are to be issued with uniform sling bags of the type issued to members of the Canadian Women's Army Corps.

Mrs. K. Somerville is said to be London's champion house-to-house collector for the Red Cross penny-a-week fund. In two years, Mrs. Somerville has collected the equivalent of \$15,000.

The Berlin Nachrichten agency has been reorganized for mass production of standardized beds and kitchen pieces for bombed-out German households.

The Agriculture Department said arrangements had been completed with the British Food Mission for the purchase of any surplus white peas produced in Canada during 1944. The price agreed upon was \$3.25 a bushel.

KEEP MILK RECORDS

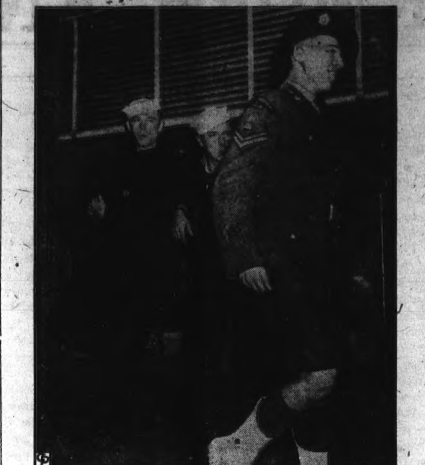
A system of keeping milking records is important to dairy farmers and is one of the first steps in building up a herd. Milking records constitute a guide for the feeding of each cow according to the quantity of milk she produces, and are the bases on which a herd can be improved.

ROADS IN BRITISH INDIA

British India has, at present, 207,325 miles of roads of which 11,197 miles are of modern surface, 56,348 miles are waterbound macadam roads and the remaining 139,781 miles are earth roads.

When a person is afraid, the pupils of his eyes dilate, but they grow smaller when he is angry.

Hey, Ya Wanna Get Kilt?



You're whistling at the wrong shirt, boys, for this serviceman isn't a WAC, a WAVE or a SPAR—he's with a famous Irish regiment of Canada. Picture was taken in Chicago.

To Have Newspaper

Belgium Is Preparing To Publish As Country Is Liberated

The Belgian Government is already preparing its first newspaper to be published in Belgium immediately any part of the country is liberated. The title is to be La Belgique Libérée (Belgium Liberated). It will be an official publication and will follow up the armies as they advance. As soon as conditions permit ordinary newspapers to appear normally the official publication will be withdrawn. Editor and staff, already chosen, will go over from London.

Meanwhile the Frankfurter Zeitung, famous German Liberal newspaper suppressed by Hitler's order last year has reappeared—clandestinely. It is believed to be the first real "underground" newspaper to appear in Germany.—London Daily Sketch.

NOT A SPIDER

The daddy longlegs is known in different parts of the world as harvest spider, pseudo-spider and shepherd spider, yet it is not a spider at all, but a relative of the scorpion.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MAY 21

PAUL IN CORINTH

Golden text: But now abideth faith, hope, love, these three; and the greatest of these is love. I Corinthians 13:13.

Lesson: Acts 18:1-18; I Corinthians 12-14.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 133.

Explanations and Comments

Paul's Experience At Corinth, I Corinthians 12:1-18. Tentmaking was Paul's trade and he took up his abode at Corinth with other tent-makers, Aquila and Priscilla, and wrought with them. His two new friends were Jews born in Pontus, the province of Asia Minor bordering on the Black Sea, who had lately come to the house of Titus Justus, the Emperor Claudius had driven the Jews from that city on account of a series of disturbances, due, as Justin says, "to the action of Christ." This must refer to some outbreak of messianic enthusiasm among the Jews, or to some disturbance occasioned by Christian teaching.

At first Paul preached every Sabbath to Jews and Greeks, but when he testified to the Jews that Jesus was the Christ, and they opposed him, he definitely decided to turn wholly to the Gentiles. He took up his abode in the house of Titus Justus, adjoining the synagogue, and continued his preaching. He remained in Corinth a year and a half. Despite his turning to the Gentiles, a noted Jew, Crispus, the ruler of the synagogue believed his message. When Gallio became proconsul of Achaia, the hostile Jews brought Paul before him, charging him with persuading men to worship God contrary to law. Had it been a question of wrong or villainy, Gallio told them, he would have considered it, but he was not minded to be a judge in a matter of "words and names and their own Jewish law," and he drove them away from the judgment seat. Paul lingered in Corinth many days longer and then sailed for Syria.

Love the Greatest Thing in the World, I Corinthians 13. "Thank God for their sin!" exclaimed Luther, referring to the sins of the Corinthian Church which led Paul to write his matchless hymn about love. Jealousy and strife were rife in that church. Many aspired to be conspicuous figures—some could teach, some could prophesy—which had the greater gift? Bitter arguments, sharp words, wasted energy resulted from their contentions. They wrote to Paul and asked him to decide certain vexing questions. In this letter Paul answered in chapters 12-14 their question concerning "spiritual gifts."

JUST IN NORTH ATLANTIC

The North Atlantic is the only area where icebergs offer a serious menace, although a few Antarctic bergs invade ship lanes on the western side of Cape Horn. Few ever get to sea in the North Pacific, most of them breaking up in the bays when they go adrift.

Eight minutes time is required for light from the sun to reach the earth.

Has Many Names

Daffodil Is Lovely No Matter What It Is Called

The botanists tell us there are eight or ten distinct kinds of daffodils, most of them bearing countless varieties, and that the right name for all of them is Narcissus. The fond lay public has its own systems of nomenclature. One hears, for instance, that Narcissus means the kind with many white flowers on a single stalk; that the kinds with short cups are jonquils. But the daffodils don't care. By any name they speed the arrival of spring in the wintry garden, and by any name they are loved.

PRISONER OF WAR

Sgt. M. G. McGeer, previously reported missing over enemy territory, is a prisoner of war in Germany, his mother, Mrs. G. G. McGeer of Vancouver, was advised. His father is G. G. McGeer, Liberal member of Parliament, for Vancouver Burrard.

Saturation Bombing

Little Chance Of One Bomber Colliding With Another

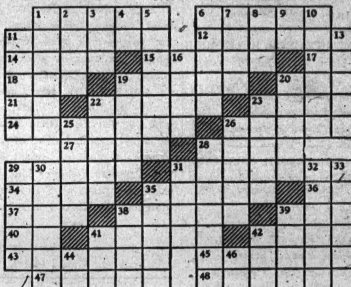
When plans were first being worked out for saturation bombing, there was some fear that with a great number of bombers arriving over the targets at the same time, it might result in many collisions. In practice, however, this is not the case. The chances of one bomber colliding with another is one in a thousand—a good deal better than the chance one would take of being shot down by flak when the attack is spread over a long period and the German anti-aircraft guns are able to pick out the bombers individually.

OVER FOUR BILLIONS

A total of \$4,018,400,396 was collected in income tax between the time the act was passed during the First Great War and March 31, 1943. It was revealed in a return tabled in the commons for Hon. R. B. Hanson (P.C., York Suburb).

X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

No. 4883



HORIZONTAL

1 Constancy

6 Wanders

11 System of government

12 Ascending

14 God of war

15 Stared open-mouthed

17 Conjunction

18 Curb's

19 Grows warm

20 Enemy

21 Pronoun

22 Carries

23 Music concluding passage

24 Formal orders

26 Portion of grain to be ground

27 Religious ceremony

28 Bed stays

31 Sloped

32 To long

35 Violent rain-storm

VERTICAL

10 Fillets worn about the hair

11 Speedy

13 To care for

14 Beverages

15 Dreamers

16 To pain of

17 Stale

18 Long-legged bird

19 To rub roughly

20 Click-beetles

21 Mistle

22 Steamships

23 To extend over

24 Come into operation

25 Lavishes

26 Goodness

27 To pass smoothly

28 To declare

29 Thresh

30 Noon in a harvest

31 Garland

32 Preposition

35 French conjunction

Answer to No. 4882

1 MISTLETOE

2 SEED

3 RAIN

4 SLOPE

5 BED

6 WANDERS

7 CONJUNCTION

8 FLEET

9 GARLAND

10 FILLETS

11 SPEEDY

12 ASCENDING

13 CARE

14 BEVERAGES

15 DREAMERS

16 PAIN

17 STALE

18 LONG-LEGGED

19 RUB

20 CLICK-BEETLES

21 MISTLE

22 STEAMSHIPS

23 EXTEND

24 OPERATION

25 LAVISHES

26 GOODNESS

27 PASS

28 DECLARE

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30 NOON

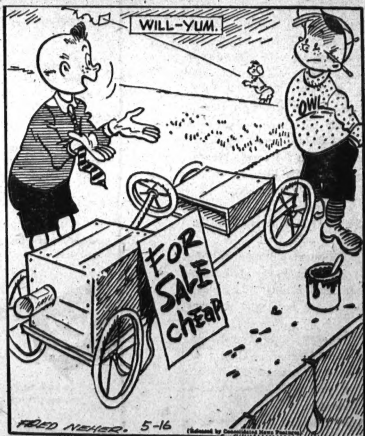
31 GARLAND

32 PREPOSITION

35 FRENCH CONJUNCTION

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"If you get an O.K. from the Price Board, I'll pay you off with a catcher's mitt, two kilos and a white mouse."

BY GENE BYRNES

REG'LAR FELLERS—Rubber Money



Spreading Weeds

How Weed Seeds Are Distributed Over The Country

New weeds are introduced on farms with imperfectly cleaned cereals, clover or other commercial seeds, and with commercial feeding stuffs which often contain vital weed seeds, states the National Weed Committee. They are spread from district to district through the various transportation facilities, are disseminated within a locality in stable manure from towns and cities, and are distributed from farm to farm through threshing machines and from field to field by farm implements. The wind carries weed seeds long distances, not only in summer but with drifting soil and over the surface of the snow in winter. Streams distribute them along their courses. They are spread by herbivorous animals and seed feeding birds, through the stomachs of which the seeds pass undigested, or the seeds attach themselves by special contrivances, such as hooked and barbed hairs and spines to passing animals. They are often carried by the boots and clothes of men.

Penguins always fight their way over ice to the sea to die. 2568

THIS CERTAINLY IS WONDERFUL BREAD!

ROYAL IS CERTAINLY WONDERFUL YEAST!



ROYAL YEAST CAKES

Just 2¢ a day ensures sweet, tasty bread.

WRAPPED AIRTIGHT TO PROTECT STRENGTH. PURE, DEPENDABLE!

Almost Human

Care of Future Will Be Marvels According to Forecast

Post-war automobiles, profiting from wartime electronics, can be equipped to print little newspapers by facsimile radio, receive newswires by television, heed road instructions from radio police, turn on lights at darkness automatically, and observe red and green traffic signals on the dashboard—with sound effects of music to focus attention.

This forecast was made recently before the New York Electrical Society by Dr. Orates H. Caldwell, editor of Electronic Industries, who also added that electronic photocells will report your speed to police—Christian Science Monitor.

FOR PRINCESS ELIZABETH

Be with her, God—she is so young and fair
To feel the burden of a throne, or bear
The golden weight and wonder of a crown—
A slim white Princess in her satin gown,
"Brodered with pearls for purity and grace,
With curls of deepest gold to frame her face.
Be with her, God—now as she comes of age,
Conscious and proud of her vast heritage,
Heir to a kingdom bought with blood and tears;
Oh, give her wisdom for the coming years,
Walking in ways uncharted and unknown
Amid the blazing splendor of a throne."
—By Edna Jacques

MUST HAVE PROOF

Some of Scotland Yard's famed operatives now are armed with a new weapon—a "diapstick," or gas-line-tank measuring device used to keep taxicab drivers in line. When the cables refuse to go on the less profitable long hauls on the ground that they are about out of gas, the operative whips out his "diapstick" and runs it into the gas tank to measure the supply.

GOODS FOR SERVICES

India, by the end of the year 1944-45 will have given the U.S.A. \$243,750,000 worth of goods and services under Reciprocal Aid.

Improve Your Health by Correcting Sluggish KIDNEYS

This Way is Swift, Economical

Real conditions can wreck your health faster than disordered kidneys and inflamed bladder. You have restless nights. You suffer leg cramps and rheumatic pains. When these things happen your kidneys need help in filtering out acids and poisonous wastes that are undermining your health.

Give them this help—quickly—with **GOLD MEDAL** Haxium Oil Capsules. GOLD MEDAL Capsules contain accurately measured amounts of the original and genuine Haxium Oil (Dutch Dupon). You will be gratefully surprised as the way they relieve clogged kidneys and irritated bladder.

Go to your drugstore now and get a 40c box. Be sure you ask for **GOLD MEDAL** Haxium Oil Capsules.

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY— FOR GOD AND JAMES

By FRANK CHEAVENS
McClure Newspaper Syndicate

Jim told me all about that terrible time he found the purse with a thousand dollars. It is a shoe-repair man in a village down here on the Texas coast. Years ago, people began calling him Honest Jim. The lines of his face were as good and comforting as an old hymn. And after talking with him five minutes, you no longer felt the world was getting worse.

People would tell little things about him, in the affectionate way they sometimes have, to show how they believed in him. A neighbor told me once that Jim "lived his religion." Somehow, the expression did not sound amny and true.

The trouble about the purse came up this way. Jim liked to fish. Before James, his only son, had gone away to school, the two had fished together. Since then Jim had fished mostly alone. He would kiss his wife a gentle good-bye after lunch and ease into the lumpy cushions of his Model A, which would hop skip and jump down to Jackson's Point on the bay.

One much afternoon he had been trying for red fish along that shell beach at the Point, when he stepped on a heavy leather bill-fold with a hand-carved Astec calendar on the flap.

Jim granted softly as he opened it, for he saw money. But when he found himself staring at ten one-hundred-dollar bills, his grunt became deep and a little frightened.

For Jim needed money. You see, James had returned to medical school and gaunt after a spell of malaria. His father had grieved to think of the kid going back to the grind in such shape, and slaving in a bakery after school to pay his way. Besides the bills in his hand, Jim pictured James getting plenty of sleep, a chance to regain his strength, and an even break with the other fellows in his studies. The only other thing in the pocketbook was a photograph of a fat woman standing before a farmhouse.

Jim did some arguing with himself as he drove home. He wanted the money as much as he had ever wanted anything. Found money was anybody's money, he told himself. But then, because he was Honest Jim, he admitted that it was no more his than money behind the bars of a teller's window.

Back home, he kept his secret. To satisfy his conscience he advertised in the local papers, without revealing his identity or what the purse contained. But no answers came.

After two weeks he began to do some imaginary spending. Nine hundred would see James comfortably through medical school. One hundred would buy the skiff that Jim had wanted for many a year for the deep channels where the fish ran in great numbers.

But the thing that kept bothering Jim was that the money really wasn't his. No, even if he kept it a year, or longer, he knew that he would never feel that he owned it.

It worried him so much that he decided to forget by fishing. On his outing he came to a decision. Since there had been no claimants, and James needed the money now, Jim would send it to him immediately. Over-conscientious scruples must not stand in the way.

Just then a glistering car pulled to a stop along the beach. A man climbed out and started slowly pacing the shell, his eyes searching every foot of it.

Jim's heart quickened in resentment and fear, for he knew this must be the owner of the purse, who had evidently missed reading the ads. Jim's first impulse was to flee. But that would be a give-away. No, he would stand his ground and tell nothing, for his son's sake.

The stranger came toward him. "Haven't seen anything of a bill-fold around here, have you, friend?" The man looked like a ranchman.

"I won't tell him. I won't. I won't!" Jim was repeating to himself as the stranger spoke.

"I lost it about three weeks ago. I've been so many different places I just didn't know where to look. Almost forgot I'd been down here. Reckon if it dropped here someone picked it up long ago." The man's dark eyes were pleading as they looked at Jim. His voice was as low and sad as the soft sweep of waves on the shore.

Then Jim remembered. When James had left for school a month

Receives Promotion



HERBERT W. SEAGRIMS, formerly chief pilot, western division, has been appointed assistant superintendent of night operations, Trans-Canada Air Lines, with headquarters at Winnipeg. One of the original T.C.A. pilots, he entered service in December, 1937, and flew between Winnipeg and Vancouver, Vancouver and Seattle and Vancouver and Lethbridge. He was born in Winnipeg in 1912 and began flying at 18 with the Winnipeg Flying Club. With the Komle Johannsen Flying Service, Wings Limited and other companies, he had a great deal of experience as bush pilot in the north country, barnstormer and test pilot, before joining T.C.A. He holds an air engineer's certificate.

before, he had said, "Never mind about money, Dad. You've given me something lots better—a good name. Good-bye, Honest Jim."

Jim's voice trembled now as he questioned the stranger. "What was it like? Was there much in it?" "It was one of those Mexican purses. Astec calendar on it. A photograph in it. . . ."

Jim's hand was shaking as it fumbled in his hip pocket. "Look like this?" "That's it, thank God!" His brown hands clutched it, held it against his heart a moment, then brought out the picture and pressed it again and again to his lips. "You see," the man finally explained, "my wife gave me this just before she died." His hand caressed the bill-fold. "This is my only good picture of her. God bless you, friend, for finding it. I wish I could show you how grateful I am. Why, maybe there's a way. This money. It's not much—take it—"

"That's yours! You're crazy! That's a thousand dollars!" "I'd give a hundred thousand for this picture. All those San Juan wells are mine. And what do they mean to me with Mary gone? I'd give them all just to see her one moment. Here, for God's sake, take the money!"

And Jim took it, for God's sake and for James.

From A German's Diary

German Nazi Does Not Appear To Think Much Of His Country

A friend sends me this translation of a revealing extract from the diary of a German officer captured in Italy:

Yesterday evening, during the retreat, I broke finally and irrevocably with my old life. Gone are all the old values, all that was precious to me. In my soul only one thing remains, a hatred for the bestiality of the German Army. What have we to fight for? Every one curses the Nazi Government, but few have the courage to turn against it. Why? Because the brutality and the power of oppression are still so strong. If opportunity offered, I would help strengthen the thousands who long for final collapse. If I survive to leave the field alive, at least I shall have seen through the tawdry facade of Nazi politics. I shall know the points at which the Nazis are weakest.

Why was I born a German? I feel myself always a slave. My friend vouches for the authenticity of this document. The writer, I am told, was at one time a keen Nazi.—Leeds Yorkshire Post.

Experience is highly praised as a teacher. But common-sense often gets just as good results with much less publicity.

TOO TIRED TO SLEEP?

JUST PAT MOANS' ON TIRED, ACHING MUSCLES...

LOANS LINIMENT

Air Cadets

Summer Program Will Include Flights For Senior Members

Flights in R.C.A.F. aircraft for air cadets will be part of the 1944 summer camp program, it was announced by the Air Cadet League of Canada today. Arrangements are being made to give familiarization flights to senior cadets who qualify in accordance with requirements.

Cadets will receive flights as a reward for faithful attendance at squadron parades and progress in training. A waiver form signed by his parent must be obtained by each cadet who qualifies and is recommended for flights by his commanding officer. Trips are expected to be of thirty minutes duration or less and will be carried out within a radius of twenty miles from the station.

Speaking for the Air Cadet League, President Arthur L. Melling of Montreal said: "This is a concession which we have long desired and I am convinced that it will have a tremendous influence on future progress of the air cadet movement throughout Canada."

"Our boys are keen to fly and will strive to qualify for this coveted privilege," said Mr. Melling. "Moreover, in a comprehensive survey covering many thousands of parents 98.3 per cent were willing to have their boys taken on properly supervised flights."

It is expected that several thousand air cadets who attend camp at R.C.A.F. stations during the coming summer months will have an opportunity to fly in service aircraft.

The Age Of Chivalry

Has Not Passed Is Opinion Of Eastern City Newspaper

We rather like the retort of the London, Ontario, Free Press to a charge that because men remain seated in street cars the age of chivalry is dead. "Yet these," says the newspaper, "are the men who when they are home wash dishes, rock the baby, tend the furnace, paint the house, carpenter in the basement, walk the dog, pay the taxes, ward off the bill collectors, figure out income taxes, go down stairs at night to look for burglars, mend frozen pipes and make their wives a cup of coffee in the morning."—Edmonton Journal.

This Week's Pattern



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VITAMIN B1 BREAD

Recently a testing panel examined loaves of bread in the Experimental kitchen of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, and reported that the loaves made with Vitamin B1 white flour compare very favourably with those from the corresponding all-purpose flour.

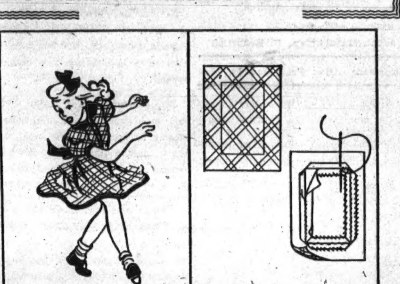
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Much Is Required

Rehabilitation Of Europe Is Going To Be Big Job

According to the estimates of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration (commonly known as UNRRA) total import requirements to help rehabilitate Europe in her post-war period will require from all sources, 45 million tons of foodstuffs, feeds, oils, fertilizers, rubber, wood, paper, hides, leather, clothing, coal, metals minerals, machinery, vehicles, seeds, drugs and hospital supplies. One of Canada's major contributions are held at Hot Springs, Va., in May, 1943, at which a working basis for close co-operation and continued collaboration among all the United Nations was established. The United Nations have agreed to bring relief to victims of war immediately upon liberation of the countries enslaved by the enemy.

Plight Of A Deer

Game Warden Finds A Buck Deer With Its Leg Caught By

The plight of a buck deer whose left front leg had become caught over his head by his antlers was discovered by game wardens. The three-year-old black-tail deer had been forced to move about on three legs for ascertained three months. Warden Vic Steele said the leg hung over his head and the hoof dangled against the right foreleg. Steele expressed the theory the leg was jammed by the antler in a fight with another buck or in the young buck's effort to free it from entangling tree branches.

Before freeing the leg, Steele and two companions made a picture of the buck, near the Mesa Verde national park in southwestern Colorado. Released, the leg hung helplessly as the buck limped off, but they saw the deer again later and he was bounding around.

Help For Refugees

Britain Has Had Outstanding Record During This War

Britain's record as a refugee for the victims of Nazi oppression is one that should not be allowed to become forgotten. It is particularly true when the size of the island, and the wartime conditions are remembered—stringent restrictions in food and clothing, overcrowding with Allied troops, and local preoccupation with the prosecution of the war. Despite all this, Britain admitted some 60,000 non-British refugees between May, 1940, and April, 1943, since when, according to an announcement made last December, they were still being admitted at an average rate of 800 a month.

CHOCOLATE MILK SHAKE

1 cup cold milk
1/4 to 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1 tablespoon Chocolate Syrup
Measure milk and add vanilla. Slowly pour the chocolate syrup into milk-vanilla mixture, stirring all the while. (OR—place all ingredients in container with tightly fitting cover, secure cover firmly and shake vigorously.) Pour into chilled glass and serve cold. Serves 1. This recipe may be multiplied to serve the required number of persons.

EASY WAY TO TELL

You need only a measuring rule to determine when you are standing exactly at the North Pole; if your shadow measures the same over a 24-hour period, you are at the pole.

The use of plastics has reduced by seven pounds the weight of magnetic compasses in Allied tanks.

DR. MILES' NERVINE

Do your worries often keep you awake at night? And does this restlessness make you feel "all in" the next day? Nerve, anxiety, overworking things or working under pressure can affect the nerves... may make you sleepless, cranky, restless... cause nervous headache or nervous fear.

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W. J. BARTLETT, PUBLISHER

Blaimore, Alta., Fri., May 19, 1944

A number of Coleman side streets have been treated to hardsurfacing.

Several local dogs sported porcelain collars the early part of the week.

Sir John Martin Harvey, noted British actor, died in London Sunday at the ripe age of 81.

A car of Canadian mail for overseas was destroyed by fire near Holbrook, Maine, on Monday.

United States financiers have invested in Edmonton debentures no less than \$9,150,000 lately, at 3.39 per cent.

Mrs. R. Pinkney and her mother, Mrs. P. Chardon, motored to Calgary on Monday to visit Mr. Chardon, hospital patient.

Among those graduating today at No. 2 B. & G. school at Macdonald, Manitoba, is Eddie Arrol, of Blaimore, as a wireless arguer with the rank of sergeant.

Cpl. Bill Irvine, Creston, now stationed with a signal corps on the west coast, paid a brief visit to Blaimore early this week to say hello to many of his school chums.

We have received our fish basket back from the iron works, where we had it reinforced with steel, etc. It is now capable of holding fish up to hundreds of pounds in weight.

A number of Blaimore's side streets have been treated to a coating of fine gravel, effecting a decided improvement. We understand similar attention is to be given others.

A baseball tournament is to be staged at Cowley on Wednesday next, Victoria Day, starting at 1 p.m. Teams competing will be local and air force, with a Macleod band in attendance.

About five out of every six Canadian soldiers are volunteers. The Canadian army has the largest volunteer force in the world. The Canadian navy, which had only 15 ships before the war, now has more than 700 at sea.

The service at St. Luke's Anglican church on Sunday evening will be in charge of the new incumbent, Rev. W. E. Brown. Mr. Brown is a graduate of Queen's College, St. John's, Newfoundland. He and Mrs. Brown arrived in Blaimore-Coleman the early part of the week.

An order-in-council published in Canadian War Orders and Regulations provides that members of the armed forces on annual leave, embarkation leave or disembarkation leave will pay no more than \$15 for transportation. However, the arrangement will not become effective until negotiations with the railways are completed.

Blaimore enjoyed a visit yesterday from a real oldtimer in the person of Abe Sparks, now resident of Ontario. Mr. Sparks is a director of the Fernie-Port St. Joe Brewing Co., and attended a meeting of the company at Fernie the early part of the week. Away back 25 to 35 years ago Abe operated the old and new Cosmopolitan hotel here.

The Fincher Creek Fish and Game Association are going after pheasant, raising.

Fincher Creek district subscribed \$349,500 to the Sixth Victory Loan, or 150 per cent of their objective.

Southern Alberta has experienced a much needed rain during the past few days and farmers are smiling millions.

The big building known as the Holmes Hall at Beaver Mines is being torn down. It was the opera house in the old days.

Some two thousand small trees have been planted by the children on the school grounds at Wainwright, eventually to become a beauty spot.

Empire Day, May 24th, will not be observed as a statutory holiday in Canada this year, but may be proclaimed a holiday by any municipal council.

Bill Duncan is still under doctor's care somewhere in England, suffering most in the knee. We were thinking of asking Bill to pray for better fishing over here, but what's the use? He can't get down on that knee.

Alberta and British Columbia have combined to get out a new tourist folder, showing the two provinces and the Alaska highway. Dan Campbell, director of publicity for Alberta, says he has received about 1,500 enquiries re the possibility of northern settlement.

Because of a decline in butter production, the Canadian butter ration will be temporarily reduced next month by postponing the valid dates of coupons 64 and 65 from June 1st to June 8th. The reduction will be the same as that applied during March, when each consumer was asked to give up half a pound of butter.

The Enterprise last evening enjoyed a visit from several members of the Coleman teaching staff, but lack of time on the part of the visitors allowed only a short "lesson" on the intricacies of the linotype. Recently Coleman school published an issue of The Journal, and with the knowledge now gained of the mechanical end, watch their smoke next time.

The annual convention of the Dominion Command of the Canadian Legion, BESL, will be held in Vancouver on June 4th to 7th, inclusive. Alex. Walker, CBE, of Calgary, Dominion president, will preside. Bellevue branch will be represented by G. K. Sirett and James Tull, and Blaimore by Ben Hobson. Alberta will be represented by no less than 88 delegates.

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AIR CADETS OF CANADA

Turtle Mountain Squadron No. 157 Blaimore

Parades held at Athletic Field—Tuesday and Thursday: Bugle band parade, 1830-1930 hours.

Thursday: Parade, fall in 1900 hrs. Church parade, Sunday, May 21st: Roman Catholic personnel will fall in at 1015 hours at school grounds, in charge of F/S Brunet, dress blue; Protestant personnel will fall in at 1915 hours at school grounds, in charge of Cpl. Velparva, dress blue.

Appointments: To rank of Acting Flight Lieutenant, effective April 1st, 1944, F/O S. White; to Acting Sergeant, May 17th, Cpl. J. Lach; to Acting Corporal, May 17th, LAC's A. Pomschac, W. Habbas, J. Maruca.

Reclassification: To LAC's, May 17, W. Habbas, A. Comfort, W. Zur, B. Lach, R. Tucker, J. Maruca, W. Smith, R. Taylor.

Cpl. W. J. Peden, known to the sports world as "Torchy" Peden, famous six-day bicycle racer and holder of some twenty world championships, now engaged as drill and physical instructor, RCAF, attached to No. 4 Command, visited the Summit (Coleman) and Turtle Mountain squadrons and held mass parade on Sunday last at the Blaimore athletic field. When parade was over a wiener roast was held and Cpl. Peden gave an exhibition of bicycle riding.

The squadron will be active for the next three weeks in preparation for inspection on June 8th. More on this at a later date.

Gordon: "Isn't it funny that everybody in our house is some kind of an animal. Mother's a dear, baby's a little lamb and I'm a kid. I can't think what you are, pop?"

Pop: "Oh, I'm the goat, my son."

"What in the world are you doing down there in the cellar?" asked the puzzled rooster.

"Well, if it's any of your business," replied the hen, "I'm laying in a supply of coal."

Sunday School Teacher: "When the prodigal son arrived home, what happened, Tommy?"

Tommy: "His father ran to meet him and hurt himself."

"Why, where did you get that?"

"It said his father ran and fell on his neck. I bet it would hurt you to fall on your neck."

GLYCERINE

Save THAT Fat!

HERE'S WHAT TO DO

- 1 You can take your fat dripping, scrap fat and bones to your meat dealer. He will pay you the established price for the dripping and the scrap fat. If you wish, you can turn the money over to your local Voluntary Salvage Committee or Registered Local War Charity, or—
- 2 You can donate your fat dripping, scrap fat and bones to your local Voluntary Salvage Committee if they collect them in your community, or—
- 3 You can continue to place out your Fat and Bones for collection by your Street Cleaning Department where such a system is in effect.

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL WAR SERVICES

THEY ARE URGENTLY NEEDED FOR EXPLOSIVES

Three Chinese sisters in Blaimore are unmarried, Tu Yung Tu, Tu Dumb Tu and No Yen Tu.

A local man was on Tuesday fined \$20 and costs on a charge of indecent exposure.

A fifteen-year-old Montreal boy has been sentenced to hang for murder of Detective Sergeant Henry Farmer, of the city police force.

The village council of Cowley proposes to borrow the sum of five thousand dollars for the purpose of laying a new water line.

Next week will be observed as Mrs. Consumer Week. The plan grew out of a meeting of presidents of nationally-organized women's groups held in Ottawa in January.

A girl may wear a golf skirt and never play golf, or wear a bathing suit and never go near the water; but when she puts on a wedding gown, boy she means business!

Dante Ubertino, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ubertino, of Brooks, who already has his bachelor of arts degree from the University of Alberta, has been recommended to receive his bachelor of commerce degree following the recently concluded term.

Canada is paying half the cost of the British Commonwealth Air Training plan, estimated at \$1,500,000,000. The United Kingdom pays the remainder, less payments by New Zealand and Australia for the cost of training air crew.

Four weeks today trout fishing will open in South Alberta streams, most of all which will be open to the enthusiastic angler. White Creek on the Livingston, Ernst Creek and Sullivan Creek inside the forest reserve, are closed sanctuaries. The use of fish eggs or roe, or the use of any bait containing lime is prohibited. Size of fish is limited to not less than eight inches and not more than sixty inches.

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COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Hillie Swart is an inmate in St. Vincent's hospital this week.

Mrs. Fred Dionne, of Coleman, in company with relatives from California, paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. T. LaPointe on Tuesday.

Lloyd Morrison, who is stationed at Chilliwack, B.C., is home on a three-weeks army leave.

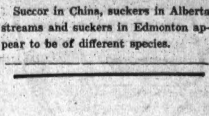
Mrs. Vern Bone, wife of Sergt. Bone, with infant daughter, is moving into the house near the United church.

Alvin Murphy left on Sunday for eastern Canada, where he is in military training.

There was a good turnout on Sunday morning last when Mother's Day was observed in the United church.

Song sheets of appropriate hymns were passed around. The congregation was favored with special vocal selections beautifully rendered by Miss Jena Fisher and Miss June Price, of Bellevue. They also enacted a very touching biblical scene. At the close of the service each mother was presented with a lovely flower by Rev. W. H. Irwin.

Succor in China, suckers in Alberta streams and suckers in Edmonton appear to be of different species.



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TRIBUTE TO CHURCHILL

Hugh Malcolm McCormick in the Miami Daily News writes of the titan stature of Churchill. "History holds," he says, "no parallel to Winston Spencer Leonard Churchill, born November 30, 1874, half American, half Briton, soldier, statesman, author, orator and world citizen who at 65 shouldered the most colossal burden ever laid upon a human soul—conduct of a world-strewn empire against the mightiest onset to enslave humanity in all human time."

NEW ROUTE TO RUSSIA

Vice-President Henry A. Wallace writes that Vyscheslav Molotov, Soviet commissioner of foreign affairs, hopes to see the construction of a combined highway and airway that will link Chicago and Moscow by way of Canada, Alaska and Siberia. He said Molotov had expressed himself in favor of the proposed highway between the United States and Siberia when he visited Africa in 1942, at which time the question was broached.

SIMPLIFIED SPELLING

"The Dallas News has this suggestion in view of the paper shortage: 'Mch hs bn wrtta abt afrmd sping as a savr of spc. Pably this wld b a btrr pln if it wr carrd frthr. If a systm of abrvtns wr adptd, as mch as 40 pct of spc cld b avd. It wldnt b so hrd as u mite thnk. U cn rd this cn u nt?'"

"v"

Indications

"I want some collars for my husband, but I forgot the size he takes," said a lady at a local counter a few days ago.

"Thirteen and a half?" suggested the clerk.

"I think you're right," said the customer. "How did you guess?"

"Well, it's a funny thing," replied the clerk, "but I've noticed that men whose wives buy their collars for them are invariably undersized."

"v"

Announcement is made at Ottawa that, effective June 1st, the allowance payable to discharged members of the armed forces will be increased by between \$16 and \$18 a month.

FRANCE HUNGRY BUT DEFLI-
ANT ON EVE OF INVASION

In close contact with the situation in occupied France, Mr. Emmanuel d'Astier, commissioner of the interior of the French Committee of National Liberation, told representatives of the French and Allied press in North Africa that the position of food and of general health.

Basing his statement on the latest documents to reach him from France, he said "Let us remember that the minimum daily food requirement is 2,400 calories, while in September the French people were only getting the equivalent of 1,500, and the figure has since fallen to about 1,000 calories a day."

"During the first three months of the year, Parisians only received 175 grams of meat a month. Coupons for fats of any kind, good for 100 grams a month in the large cities and 75 grams in different districts of Paris, were rarely honored."

ALBERTA POPULATION BY
RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS

An analysis of the population of Alberta by religious denominations has been issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics.

The United Church has the largest number of adherents in the province, 193,664, followed by the Roman Catholics with 152,065, Anglican 113,279, Lutheran 84,630, Presbyterian 68,910, Greek Catholic 39,278, Greek Orthodox 34,991, Baptist 32,268, Mormon 14,960, Mennonite 12,097, Pentecostal 8,451, Adventist 4,697, Jewish 4,052. Various other sects make up a total of 24,360, and in 4,019 cases the classification is "No religion" or "Not stated."

PLANTS CLOSING DOWN
DURING THE SUMMER

Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, minister of labor, states that special instructions have been sent to Employment and Selective Service offices across Canada with a view to curtailing the temporary closing down of plants on war production and essential civilian

production during the course of the summer.

He points out that in normal times a good many plants have developed the practice of closing down for several days—often weeks—for various reasons, such as to give vacation to employees or to carry out the overhaul work.

Labor shortages are expected to be pronounced again this summer, and the government expects firms will agree to examine their policy carefully before going ahead with any temporary plant shutdown. While there is no desire to interfere with established and reasonable vacation periods, Selective Service cannot undertake to guarantee the return of workers to plants following unwarranted shutdowns. Moreover, hardship for those who lose wages during these temporary layoffs is frequently involved.

The minister wishes to be understood as appealing to all employers who may have under consideration any plan for a temporary shutdown to discuss the matter with the nearest Employment and Selective Service office before reaching a final de-

cision, in order to ensure that the regulations may not be infringed, and also to ensure that labor shortage difficulties will not arise out of action proposed.

Harold: "I hear you lost your temper yesterday."

Roy: "Yes, but she'll be back tomorrow."

Breathes there a man with soul so dead,

Who never to himself hath said,
As he bumped his toe against the bed,

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Local Boy: "Did Edison make the first talking machine, Daddy?"

Dad: "No, my son. God made the first one; Edison made the first one that could be shut off."

Mike: "It's a fine kid ye have there.

A magnificent head and noble features. Say, could-ye lend me a couple of dollars?"

Pat: "I could not! That's my wife's child by her first husband."

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China And The War

THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED NATIONS are determined to rid the world of the Axis threat to freedom and progress. Among these people are many whose countries have been invaded, and who have suffered greatly. China is one of the nations which has been most severely afflicted. Invaded by Japan sometime before the war in Europe commenced, she has resisted stubbornly, and overcome enormous difficulties. After the attack on Pearl Harbour her hopes of Allied assistance were encouraged, but transportation problems have intervened, for since 1942 China has been cut off from communication with the outside world except by the dangerous and difficult air route over the Himalaya mountains. Nearly all of her heavy industries were taken over by the Japanese when they captured the Yangtze Valley, and Chinese forces have suffered acutely from lack of mechanical equipment. Nevertheless they have fought gallantly and have won widespread admiration and respect.

Plants Set Up In Wilderness

It is hoped that it will not be long before communications are re-established, and China can be furnished with military supplies by the other United Nations, as has been the case with Russia. However, great efforts have been made to produce as much as possible within the country and the results have been called "a triumph of human endeavour and resource over adverse conditions." It was found possible to move a small amount of plant equipment to the interior before the Japanese advance, and new industrial areas have been set up in regions formerly considered to be wilderness. Caverns, tunnels and artificial caves in the sides of hills now house scientific laboratories and valuable machinery, and many up-to-date plants are now being operated in these strange surroundings.

New Resources Are Discovered

While China's war production is not large when compared to that of Britain or the United States, it represents a valiant effort on the part of Chinese engineers, technicians and scientists, and promises much for her future industrial development. The opening up of new territory in the interior has led to the exploration of many unknown areas, particularly in the Northwest, and has resulted in the discovery of rich natural resources. Deposits of iron ore, gold, coal, and mineral oil are being tapped, and power stations, factories, and railways are being established. In spite of great difficulties, eighty per cent of China's pre-war industries are in operation, and plans have been made for continued expansion. These include the production of 3,000,000 tons of steel, 80,000,000 tons of coal, 300,000 tons of shipping, and other projects of similar magnitude. It is to be hoped that China will soon be free, and that her industrial development may continue under happier circumstances.

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For Air Liners

May Use Caterpillar Tracks For Landing Gear

Many of Britain's post-war civil airliners will land on "caterpillar tracks" like those of big tanks instead of the orthodox undercarriage with rubber-tired wheels. The main advantage of the caterpillar landing gear is that aircraft with heavier loads can be operated from land bases because of the increased contact with the ground. The projected caterpillar undercarriage is a formidable engineering problem but definite progress is being made.

INDIA'S RUBBER PRODUCTION

India's rubber resources are expanding rapidly and continuously. The country's present annual production is about 17,500 tons, which is practically all used in India for war purposes.

The Volga, longest river in Europe is navigable for 1800 miles.

Drive out ACHES

JUST UP IN MINARD'S LINIMENT

New Daily Ration

Better Emergency Food Has Been Developed For Shipwrecked Men

The lives of hundreds of shipwrecked castaways may be saved by the use of a new daily ration consisting of 10 buttered caramel biscuits and a pint of water, developed by a conscientious officer "guinea pig" living on a life raft in the waters off Cape Cod.

This simple ration weighs one-third as much as the former emergency packet of dry biscuits, malted milk tablets and tinned meat. It has been recommended by doctors of the Massachusetts General Hospital who conducted the experiments under the office of scientific research and development.

In addition to taking up less room than the former ration and thus leaving more space for precious water, the caramel candy reduces the loss of bodily water caused by somewhat salted tinned meat, present in some emergency rations. A man can live without food for 80 days but about six to 10 days without water.

Each caramel is a three-fourth inch cube weighing 10 grams and contains 80 per cent glucose (corn sugar) and 20 per cent fats.

AFRICAN STAR RIBBON

Matron of a British war factory, Mrs. L. B. Dunster won the African Star ribbon. She served in the merchant marine, was under fire at the evacuation of Dunkirk, saw the Jervis Bay into action and was there when the San Demetrio was hit by German shells.

Price Control And Rationing Information

Q.—How much tea and coffee do I get, now that the ration is increased?
A.—Each coupon will be good for 4 ounces of tea or one pound of coffee. One coupon only will become good at a time. Coupons will become due twice a month, on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month.

Q.—How can I find out when my ration coupons become valid? I always seem to be losing track of the various dates?
A.—That seems to be a very common problem and yet the information is readily available. Many newspapers, for instance, print a ration coupon calendar around the first day of each month. I would suggest that you find out when and where this appears, then clip it out and tack it up near your shopping list.

Q.—The "Soldier's Wife" radio program gives ration coupon bulletins every Thursday morning. Help your storekeeper and have a good knowledge of your ration book before going shopping.
A.—It is necessary to advise the ration authorities when I change my name and address?
A.—Yes, it's very important. Either write, telephone or drop in to your ration bureau and let them know of the necessary changes they should make in their records. The ration book serial number should also be given.

Q.—I want to buy a new milking machine. Where do I apply for permission?
A.—Apply to the nearest office of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board for a form which you must fill out and sign and also have the form signed by your veterinarian.

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A Strange Siege

Thousands of Russians Harried Germans in Odessa From Underground

"By night we ruled Odessa." That was the triumphant statement of members of the "army of the catacombs" to correspondents who arrived in Odessa from Moscow by air-ship and truck a scant 72 hours after the last German troops had fled toward Romania. Some of these men who came up to their liberated city from caverns had held out underground for two and one-half years in one of the strangest sieges of the war. It is a story of thousands of armed men and women living in subterranean garrets 75 to 180 feet below the city streets on which trod the boots of the German invaders. They lived in chambers hollowed out of the limestone with offices, printing presses, wireless stations, hospitals and food kitchens. There were some 10,000 guerrilla fighters and 3,000 other refugees and toward the end their ranks were swelled by Slovak and French deserters from the retreating German armies. By night they sallied forth in forays against the German occupation force.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

COMPANIONSHIP

No man can be provident of his time, who is not prudent in the choice of his company.—Jeremy Taylor.

No man can possibly improve in any company for which he has not respect enough to be under some degree of restraint.—Lord Chesterfield.

A crowd is not company, and faces are but a gallery of pictures.—Francis Bacon.

Kindred tastes, motives, and aspirations are necessary to the formation of a happy and permanent companionship.—Mary Baker Eddy.

What is companionship where nothing that improves the intellect is communicated, and where the larger heart contracts itself to the model and dimension of the smaller?—Lange.

When others fall him, the wise man looks
To the sure companionship of books.—Andrew Lang.

A pound of very fine wool will yield nearly 100 miles of thread.

HEMORRHOIDS

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By the Masters of Medicine
Mason Pills Remedy No. 1 is for Protruding Hemorrhoids. Remedy No. 2 is for Internal Hemorrhoids. Price 10c. Mason Pills for External Hemorrhoids. Price 10c. Order by mail from your Druggist.

Will Be Prepared

Canadian Equipment For Pacific War Being Thoroughly Tested

To provide a tough test for equipment to be used by Canadian troops when they fight in the Pacific theatre of war, Ontario soil is being used by national research council technicians to simulate that of the Japanese jungle.

Treated fabric is buried in the soil for two weeks and then four weeks, the soil being kept at a temperature of 30 degrees.

If any material emerges from this test unscathed it can be sent anywhere with safety.

This test is one phase of intensive work that has been going on in Ottawa since 1940 in preparation for Canadian participation in the Pacific war.

In the Pacific, with its steaming jungles and torrential rains every week, the test is a tough one for equipment.

The extent of this menace to the Allied war machine was discovered early in the war.

Something had to be done quickly. New methods of coating fabric, new polars to kill plant and animal life but which would leave the troops unharmed, had to be developed.

Canadian research scientists have kept in touch with all advances made in this urgent problem and, independently, have developed testing methods, developed water repellent materials and improved the weave of certain fabrics to supplement their rot-resistant properties.

Today it is reported that the battle against rot is going well. When Canadian soldiers reach the battlefields of the Pacific they will know that their uniforms, tents and other equipment can take it.

For Bravery

Eighty-Five V.C.s Have Been Awarded In This War

Eighty-five Victoria Crosses—the highest recognition for gallantry awarded Empire fighters—have been won in this war, 31 by men from the Dominions and India.

Of 29 V.C.s won by army personnel, 26 have gone to Dominion or Indian soldiers, 24 to members of the British Army, Australians, with 11, were awarded the highest number in the Empire armies, while Indians are next, with seven; New Zealanders, five; Canadians, three, and South Africans, one.

Of 17 V.C.s awarded to members of the air forces, three went to Australians and two to New Zealanders. The remainder have been to members of British air crews.

All the 18 naval V.C.s went to Royal Navy personnel.

First award of the war was Capt. B. A. W. Warburton-Lee, of the Royal Navy, who led a force of five destroyers in the 1940 Battle of Narvik. He was killed in action aboard H.M.S. Hardy, and his last signal was "Continue to engage the enemy."

Two members of the British Expeditionary Force won the army's first Victoria Crosses of this war during the retreat to Dunkerque. Lt. Cpl. Harry Nicholls, of the Grenadier Guards—now a prisoner—won his in Belgium, and Capt. H. M. Irvine-Andrews, of the East Lancashire Regiment, was awarded his for valor in France. The latter is still on active service.

P.O. D. E. Gardland and Sgt. T. Grey, of the Royal Air Force, were the first flying personnel to receive the V.C., awarded for a low-level attack on the Maastricht bridge over the Albert Canal in Belgium during the German attack of May, 1940. They never returned.

Canadian Television

Must Wait Until After The War To Secure Equipment

G. W. Olive, chief engineer of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, said in a statement that "any plans the CBC might have concerning the introduction of television must wait until after the war when equipment can be made available."

He made the statement commenting on reports that a television transmitting station would be built atop Mount Royal in Montreal.

"It is not likely that television equipment will be available for at least two years after the war and that any extensive television coverage can be given in Canada for at least 10 years following its introduction," he said.

BRITAIN'S RAILROADS
Despite British manpower shortage, Britain's railroads are operating a million ton-miles daily more than they were before the war, and are running 2,000 special trains weekly for troops and Government work, and handling 600,000 loaded wagons weekly in freight yards.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

Today, as always, the 'Salada' label is your guarantee of a uniform blend of fine quality teas.

"SALADA" TEA

Text Book Uniformity

New Elementary School Readers For Saskatchewan

The Hon. Hubert Staines, Minister of Education, has announced that the "Highroads to Reading" series in use in Saskatchewan in Grades I to VI will be discontinued in 1945. For the past year a Departmental Committee has been making an extensive study of available readers with the purpose of selecting for authorization a set which incorporates the latest and most scientific principles of reader construction and which meets the needs of Saskatchewan pupils.

For some months sub-committees in different parts of the Province have been engaged in this work and extensive use has been made of the questionnaire technique in soliciting the opinions of teachers and other school officials.

This work has been carried on in co-operation with Manitoba, Alberta and British Columbia with a view to setting a measure of text-book uniformity. An inter-provincial conference representing the four western provinces met at Calgary on March 1 and 2 to explore the possibility of agreement on the use of specific sets of readers.

A large measure of success was achieved at this conference. A second inter-provincial conference to conclude agreements will be held about the middle of June.

The Department supplies teachers, Grades I to VI, free to all pupils of Saskatchewan. All other texts may be obtained through the Text-book Bureau at uniform prices.

Did Essential Job

Women Gave Ships On British Columbia Coast Good Cleaning

Women of Victoria, B.C., have made employment history by taking over the spring cleaning of British Columbia coast vessels.

Unlike housecleaning—a boat gets thoroughly housecleaned only once a year—this year employment offices weren't able to find a single man who would agree to do his part in shoving off barnacles, washing and painting, and cleaning off the "bilges." Even Chinatown was combed.

But the men who weren't already hard at work at jobs of their own preferred to wait for something better than boat-cleaning to turn up.

It's a dirty job. Your face soon is streaked with grease and paint. Fingernails break. And hands get rough. Women wanted the more attractive shipyard jobs that paid higher wages. A waiting list for these "soft" jobs was built up, while the boats went dirty. Finally, the industrial placement officer of the women's division kindly approached each of these women. She told them about the ships that had to be housecleaned. And she told about the dirt, the reaching and climbing, that was involved. Perhaps her appeal struck the women's division and they were overhauled.

In time, 75 Victoria housewives and working girls were cleaning ships. As a result, all the ships of the coast service as well as a number of foreign ships that were docked at Victoria, were overhauled.

Forest Resources

Only Two Other Countries Have Greater Area Than Canada

The figures of Canada's forest resources are said with reason to stagger the imagination, says the Sherbrooke Record. Only two other countries, Russia and Brazil, have greater forested areas. Canada's total is about 1,500,000 miles, is almost equal to the combined areas of the British Isles, France, Spain, Portugal, the Netherlands, Denmark and Sweden. Compared with the 15 per cent of land area covered by forest, Canada has only 16 per cent of present or potential value for agriculture.

The tuberculosis germ was discovered in 1883 by the German scientist, Robert Koch.

SMILE AWHILE

Molly—Won't you play something more, Professor?

Professor—It's getting late, I shall disturb the neighbors.

Molly—Oh, it doesn't matter about them—they poisoned our cat last week.

"Is my face dirty or is it my imagination?"

"Well, your face is clean, but I don't know about your imagination."

Jane (to the policeman on the corner). "Please, Mr. Policeman, have you seen a lady without a little girl that looks like me?"

"You should buy an encyclopedia now that your little boy is going to school."

"Not on your life. Let him walk, like I did."

He: "Do you think I'm concealed?"

She: "No. Why do you ask?"

He: "Well, men as good looking as I am usually are."

A: "So you bought a new fur coat after all. I thought you said your husband could not afford it this year."

B: "So I did, but we had a stroke of luck. My husband broke his leg and the insurance company paid him \$500."

"Doctor," inquired the anxious patient about to go under anesthesia: "How long will it be before I know anything?"

"My dear sir," responded the exasperated medico, "aren't you expecting almost too much from a little ether?"

Joan: "Father, what's a garden plot?"

Father: "The bugs and worms planning to eat up your stuff."

Simms: "And you reckon you save money by going through the household accounts every evening with your wife?"

Grant: "I save dollars, old man. By the time we balance it's too late to go anywhere."

"Absent from parade—anything to say?" asked the commanding officer.

"Yes, sir, one of my miles kicked the quartermaster, and I had to fix it, sir."

"Fix it?"

"Yes, sir—the mule's 'oof, sir."

Gentleman: "You ask for charity, and I don't know if I can get along with taxes, rent, a wife, and four children."

Beggar: "Here is sixpence, sir. I am sorry I can't afford more."

T.B. TESTS FOR CATTLE

T.B. tests for cattle are now compulsory in Bermuda under new regulations which aim at eradication of the disease among the cattle in that Colony.

If you suffer MONTHLY FEMALE PAIN

You may suffer cramps, headache, backache, and tired, nervous feelings—due to female functional disturbances—should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It has a soothing effect on one of woman's most important organs, and works through the stomach, bowels, and bladder.

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WORTHINGTON, ENGLAND

An Acute Labor Shortage Seen For This Year

WINNIPEG.—Predicting that the country is moving into a year which will develop into a period of acute labor shortages to a degree heretofore undreamed of, Arthur MacNamara, deputy minister of labor, in a letter to Fred J. White, regional superintendent, Winnipeg, states that the situation must be met by more vigorous and rigorous action.

"During the winter," Mr. MacNamara writes, "we have enjoyed a temporary lull from the necessity of meeting acute emergency shortages. In fact, there has been too much talk of layoffs and unemployment. Actually, there have been few cases with a surplus labor supply and in few cases has the surplus been large."

"We are moving into a year which I am positive will develop into a period of acute labor shortages to a degree undreamed of heretofore."

"Already the necessities of war require that large numbers of new men and women have to be sent back into plants where there was a layoff a few months ago. Ten thousand men and women are needed immediately. Packing plants are desperate for help. Railways are pressing for men for ship and truck work. Blast furnace lining is short. 2,000 men. Foundries and agricultural implement plants are short. We must find a quarter of a million men for agriculture."

"These and other indications point to the most difficult year we have had to face in providing manpower for industry. Over and above, the problem of meeting the needs of industry, we must find 98,000 men in top physical condition for the armed forces."

"We must meet the situation by a more vigorous and rigorous approach to compulsory transfers. We must comb all less essential industries and move people to essential jobs. The mobilization division has called over 1,000,000 men for examination for the armed forces, and over 500,000 of these have been rejected."

Mr. MacNamara's letter continues by stating that national selective service "has authority to transfer men employed in industries or establishments included in the compulsory transfer orders to industries where their services are vitally needed, and that it will be necessary to use that authority vigorously 'if we are to meet existing shortages in high labor priority establishments.'"

DOES NOT PAY

Germans Must Learn That Aggression Is Not Profitable

PHILADELPHIA.—Jan Masaryk, deputy prime minister of Czechoslovakia, told a full plenary session of the International Labor conference that "we must prove to Germany once and for all that 'aggression does not pay.'"

At the conclusion of his speech, he said: "What I said about Germany naturally applies to Japan."

"I am not one to want the extermination of the entire German nation," he said. "After the last war we lost the peace by not persuading the German nation that she was beaten."

WILL VISIT RUSSIA

New Yorker To See Industrial Area Beyond Ural Mountains

NEW YORK.—Eric Johnston, president of the United States chamber of commerce, said he was leaving to visit Russia's "vast industrial empire beyond the Ural mountains."

Johnston said in an interview: "I will go to the battle fronts, see collective farming in practice and talk personally with the people of Russia."

He said he planned to investigate the possibility of private airlines operating to Russia from the United States.

EQUAL PAY

LONDON.—Prime Minister Churchill announced that a royal commission would be set up to consider equal pay for equal work by men and women—an issue which, applied to teachers, produced a bitter parliamentary debate last March.

OUR AIR FORCE FRASSED

LONDON.—The Daily Sketch in an editorial commended the achievements of the Royal Canadian Air Force, saying the Dominion's air force "rounds off a record of service of her sons to their country, to the empire and to the world, which is second to none."

FOR PACKING PLANTS

Consentious. Objectors Are Being Employed In This Industry

OTTAWA.—To cope with the huge run of hops on western packing plants, conscientious objectors are being employed in this industry for the first time during the war. Those with families or those otherwise unsuitable for farm work are being used to meet the emergency labor situation that exists in the industry.

Farm labor in the west is being brought into the plants when there is no emergent situation on the farm, and, with seeding completed in parts of Alberta and Saskatchewan, a large number of men have been obtained. For the next six weeks it is estimated that the hop run on the plants may reach 140,000 weekly.

Selective service officials are suggesting that where practicable more women be employed in the plants, and they believe there are still a number of operations which can be adequately handled by women.

United Nations Plan Conference On Civil Aviation

LONDON.—The United Nations will hold a conference possibly this year to decide on the post-war international regulation of civil aviation, Lord Beaverbrook announced in the house of lords, but he added that Britain has "reluctantly" abandoned a Canadian-sponsored plan covering this field.

The Canadian-born lord privy seal said the British government instead favors the basis of agreement reached between Britain and the United States in recent talks here.

The Canadian proposal was presented to a commonwealth meeting on aviation problems in London last year. Lord Beaverbrook said decision to ditch the "draft convention" drawn up by the Dominion's munitions and supply minister, Hon. C. D. Howe, was taken after the Americans expressed the opinion Mr. Howe's plan provided too rigid a basis for talks at an international conference.

The Canadian plan called for an international regulating authority with power of enforcement of the authority's decisions. The country would have been allocated frequencies of air services and national quotas for international air traffic. The proposals advanced by the United States delegation included an international authority with no power to enforce its regulations, at least during the immediate post-war period.

Lord Beaverbrook said the broad purpose of the forthcoming international conference will be to draw up an international convention on air navigation to be implemented by an international transport organization. This body would evolve standards, seek to eliminate uneconomic competition, assign each country a network of participation in world transport and maintain a broad equilibrium between air and transport capacity and traffic offerings.

Lord Beaverbrook said the overseas dominions, Great Britain and the United States now are in agreement on these general principles.

OTTAWA.—Canada probably will participate in a further post-war civil aviation conference along with the United Kingdom, the United States and perhaps other countries, in spite of the rejection of a Canadian plan for fixed control, national quotas and a central international enforcement authority, it was learned.

Munitions Minister Howe, Canadian representative at recent conferences on post-war civil aviation, said he had no immediate comment to make on Beaverbrook's statement.

CANNED GOODS

Stocks At April 1st Are Heavier Than Last Year

OTTAWA.—The Dominion bureau of statistics said that stocks of canned fruits and vegetables held by canners, wholesale dealers and chain store warehouses in Canada April 1 were heavier than on the corresponding date of last year, with canned fruit stocks at 961,512 dozen cans compared with 959,085 and canned vegetables at 6,152,969 dozen compared with 5,187,626.

PRISONERS VOLUNTEERS

LONDON.—Recent prisoners of war under the control of the British government in Britain who have volunteered are being formed into units organized on a military basis, Sir James Grigg, the war secretary, announced in the House of Commons recently.

RAILROAD FOR NORTH

Would Open Up A Rich Country And Provide Employment

WINNIPEG.—Construction of a branch railroad to facilitate post-war settlement in the fertile areas of the Northwest Territories was urged here by Col. James J. Cornwall, of Peace River, Alta.

He said the railway, which would start at Prince George, B.C., and run through the Peace River country, would open up the country and take agricultural and mineral products down to tidewater near Vancouver.

Col. Cornwall said it would be an ideal post-war answer to many of our prospective problems. "There is plenty of fine soil, coal, fish and precious metals in the areas," he said. "2,000,000 men and women could be placed in the areas and the rich resources scarcely scratched. He said he would take his plan to Ottawa."

WHEAT FROM CANADA

WINNIPEG.—Geo. Melvor, chairman of the Canadian wheat board, in an interview here, said Great Britain will "continue to take large quantities of wheat from Canada."

Serves At Canberra



—Canadian Army photo.

Col. L. M. Coggrave, D.S.O., Canadian Military Attaché at Canberra, Australia, who has been promoted from the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. He has a distinguished war record and previous to the present war was Canadian Trade Commissioner in Sydney, Australia.

FOR WAR PRISONERS

Report That Japanese Government Ready To Pick Up Supplies

OTTAWA.—Officials of the external affairs department expressed interest in a report the Japanese government was ready to pick up supplies left at Vladivostok for relief of United States war prisoners and civilian internees in Japanese hands.

"That may also mean relief for Canadian war prisoners and internees in Japan," said a spokesman, adding, however, that no official confirmation of the report has been received here.

He said that while the Tokyo radio did not mention Canada or Canadian supplies there probably were supplies from Canada at the port since they come from a common pool.

JEWELS RECOVERED

LONDON.—A mail plane last summer crashed and burned out in the Sudan. None of the crew knew part of its cargo was a fortune in jewels. Six months later, a representative of a British insurance company organized a search and recovered \$300,000 worth of precious stones.

Buy War Bonds On Gun-Post Parapet



—Canadian Army Overseas photo.

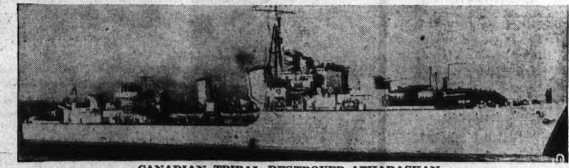
The parapet of their gun post on the outskirts of Ortona provides a table for these men of an anti-aircraft Battery of the Royal Canadian Artillery, as they sign for their Sixth Victory Loan bonds. The men of this Artillery Regiment have a record behind them with highest number of subscriptions in the Division in the last three war loans, and they are out to stay on top in the present War Loan campaign.

Victory Van Wagon



Canadian Pacific Railway employees on the Alberta district have set up conductor's vans—better known as cabooses, as headquarters for Victory loan canvassers on the Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, Calgary and Edmonton divisions. The idea originated at Medicine Hat during the fifth Victory loan last fall and caught on so well that it was adopted at other Alberta railway terminals during the present loan. Photo shows the caboose used on the Lethbridge division, decorated with flags and Victory loan posters. "By using cabooses as V-loan headquarters the organizers are able to bring the loan close to the railmen who work at all hours of the day and night."

Canadian Destroyer Went Down With Her Guns Blazing At Enemy



CANADIAN TRIBAL DESTROYER ATHABASKAN



CANADIAN TRIBAL DESTROYER HAIDA

One hundred and thirty-one of the crew of H.M.C.S. Athabaskan, which went down fighting off the coast of France, are believed safe. Eighty-five were taken prisoner according to German reports. Forty-six were rescued by H.M.C.S. Haida which also figured in the engagement. Both ships are pictured here with a chart showing the naval action. Lieut.-Cdr. J. H. Stubbs, Victoria, B.C., of the Athabaskan is missing. Cdr. H. G. De Wolf, Halifax, N.S., of the Haida, returned with his ship to the spot where the Athabaskan went down and remained at rescue work until Stubbs, floating on a raft, shouted "Get away! Get clear!" A German destroyer was driven ashore in flames during the action.

Larger Output For Canadian Farms Expected

OTTAWA.—Glancing anxiously at the barometer, agriculture department authorities permitted the forecast that over-all Canadian production in 1944 would be greater than in 1943.

In brief, the wet generally means rain and the east, warm, dry weather to permit seeding to proceed without delay.

The weather apart, officials pointed to these 1944 achievements and factors:

1. Combined slaughtering of all meat animals were the highest ever recorded in the first quarter of 1944, due principally to an increase of 75 per cent. or 1,200,000 head over 1943 in hogs. Slaughtering of beef cattle were up 30 per cent.; sheep and lambs 40 per cent. and veal calves 50 per cent.

2. Poultry production has shown a "phenomenal increase." Deliveries of eggs to the special products board for export were more than 25,000,000 dozen to the end of March against less than 10,000,000 dozen in the same period in 1943.

3. The output of creamery butter is down, but production of cheese is up.

4. The acreage planted to field crops will be at least as large as in 1943 if farmers' plans are carried through.

5. Larger production quotas for farm machinery are in effect, although the lag between increase in quotas and increased output has resulted in some delays in filling approved applications for rationed machinery.

The maximum output of food products from Canadian farms will be assured of a ready outlet to meet the continuing needs of Allied nations during the war or build up post-war reserves for the United Nations relief and rehabilitation authority or other relief agencies.

Prairie wheat and coarse grains prospects have been affected by the limited moisture reserves in the soil and poor precipitation in many areas this spring. But the outlook still may be improved by good rains.

Russia Supplied With Equipment From Britain

LONDON.—Britain supplied Russia with 5,301 tanks, 6,778 airplanes and more than 480,000,000 (about \$360,000,000) of raw materials and other supplies from Oct. 10, 1941 to last March 31, Prime Minister Churchill disclosed in the House of Commons.

The prime minister's statement was followed by an admiralty announcement that the United Nations have delivered nearly 1,250,000 tons of war equipment in the last six months, with a loss of less than 16 tons in every 1,000 tons of freight. Cheers greeted Mr. Churchill's statement that the figures included some supplies made available to the United Kingdom through Canadian mutual aid and some obtained in the United Kingdom, partly with the help of Canada's \$1,000,000 gift.

The cheering was especially loud when the prime minister said that of the 5,301 tanks supplied Russia, 1,225 were Canadian.

"For the help thus given, I should like to have this opportunity of expressing the government's appreciation," Mr. Churchill said. "Since July 1, 1943 supplies from Canada also have been going forward by direct arrangement between Canada and Russia."

The figures, he said, did not include aid sent directly from Canada under the Canadian-Russian agreement.

"In exchange Russia has given whatever it possibly could but owing to the congestion in Russian ports there had not been many opportunities to send any quantities of lumber, which the Russians were very willing to send," the prime minister said.

Of the 6,778 airplanes sent Russia, 2,827 were American-made.

In his statement on shipments to Russia in the last six months, the admiralty said the ships' passage had been safeguarded "by British and Allied warships under the general direction of Admiral Sir Bruce A. Fraser, commander-in-chief of the home fleet."



AUCTION SALE OF TIMBER CROWN'S NEST-BOW RIVER FOREST RESERVE

Timber Sale No. 345

The right to cut certain timber on the following lands will be offered at public auction at the office of the Acting Forest Superintendent, 128 - 7th Avenue West, Calgary, Alberta, at 2:30 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the thirtieth day of May, 1944:

Sections 10 and 15, that portion of Section 14 outside the limits of License Timber North No. 98, and the North West quarter of Section 11, all in Township 5, Range 4, West of the 3rd Meridian.

On these lands there is estimated to be five million lineal feet of fire killed spruce and pine suitable for the manufacture of nine timbers, and two million feet board measure of fire killed spruce and pine suitable for the manufacture of nine timbers, but only such timber shall be cut as is marked or otherwise designated.

The sale price will be offered at an upset price of 1-5c per lineal foot for fire killed nine timber five inches up to but not including the top of the butt. On all other products dues shall be payable at the rates prescribed by the Forest Reserve Regulations with the exception of sawn lumber of a species other than poplar on which dues shall be payable at the rate of \$1.50 less per thousand feet board measure than the rate prescribed by the Regulations.

The purchaser will be allowed until May 1st, 1949, to cut and remove all timber covered by the Conditions of Sale.

Each bidder will be required to deposit with the officer conducting the sale the sum of \$1,150.00 in cash, bank draft or accepted cheque on a chartered bank in Canada or by certified treasury branch order cheque or certified non-negotiable transferable voucher payable to the Provincial Treasurer before being allowed to bid. Agents will be required to file letters of authorization from their principals before bidding. The deposits of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them at the conclusion of the sale and that of the purchaser held as a deposit to guarantee compliance with the terms and conditions of sale.

Full particulars may be obtained from the Acting Forest Superintendent, 128 - 7th Avenue West, Calgary, Alberta, or the Director of Forestry, Edmonton, Alberta.

T. F. BLEFGEN,
Director of Forestry.
Department of Lands & Mines,
Edmonton, Alberta.
April 29th, 1944. [May 5/12/19]

David Pritchard, an old time resident, died at Coleman on Monday following a lengthy illness at the age of 74. Born in Wales, he came to Coleman in 1905, where he had since ranched and worked in the mines. Funeral service was held at the Crow's Nest Funeral Home, Blairmore, yesterday afternoon, by the Salvation Army, and remains were laid to rest in the Coleman public cemetery.

Destruction of a Japanese destroyer and thirteen merchant ships by hard-hitting American submarines was reported last week end. This brings to 700 the number of Japanese ships sunk or damaged by the Yanks. Of that number 558 were sent to bottom.

Make Your Dollars Fight!

It has taken us four years to build up our war production to the point where we can trade the enemy blow for blow. During that precious time, many of Canada's sons gave their lives.

For four long years we worked and bided our time, knowing that when we had gathered our strength their debt would be paid and repaid.

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THE BREWING INDUSTRY OF ALBERTA

Local and General Items

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors entertained, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Phone items in to 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

Painters and decorators are busy with the interior of the town office.

PIANO, HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS FOR SALE. Apply to Mrs. George Dau, South Blairmore.

A four-year-old lad spent fourteen hours in a refrigerator at Pittsburg and came out alive.

Some Doukhobors are seeking assistance in their dressing and undressing operations.

The town of Standard, Alberta, seemed to be a high liner in the Victory Loan drive, the subscriptions totalling 509%.

A fair-sized crowd gathered at the bandstand here on Saturday evening for a free show, but the Douks didn't show up.

Daylight saving is still being protested by farmers all across Canada. Every section has its own reason for objection.

About 95,000 head of cattle, making forty million pounds of beef, have been purchased for export so far in 1944.

Doctors in an Alberta hospital were unable to get an X-ray photo of a woman's jaw, but instead made a moving picture.—Pete.

An egg laid by a ten-month-old New Hampshire pullet at Lansdowne, Nova Scotia, weighed nearly half a pound and measured 8 1/2 by 7 1/2 inches.

Smelts, a fish whose natural home is salt water, have found their way to near Port Arthur, Ontario. Should they come any further west, it is very likely fortifications will be set up between Goat and Turtle mountains.

Canada's sixth Victory Loan went over the top with a bang as usual. The quota of \$1,200,000,000 was answered with subscriptions totalling \$1,400,000,000, or thereabout, as recorded Saturday night. Another small sum was added later.

A \$70,000 addition is being built to the Belcher hospital in Calgary, to be known as the Harold McDonald Memorial Wing, named after the late Brig. H. F. McDonald, CMG, DSO, chairman of the Canadian Pension Commission, who died at Banff in September of last year.

Get your Gum Tape rolls from The Enterprise. We stock them, any width.

Miss A. G. Picard, of the local Selective Service staff, is patient in hospital at Calgary.

Mervyn (Rod) Dutton has been offered the presidency of the National Hockey League.

James Smith, proprietor of the Cosmopolitan hotel, was a business visitor to Calgary the early part of the week, returning yesterday.

Joseph Handley and son James returned to Creston and Kimberley respectively on Monday, after having attended the Wm. Harrison last rites here.

Mr. A. (Tony) Zak came down from Creston the early part of the week to relieve Mr. Henry Zak, who was obliged to accompany Mrs. Zak to Calgary for hospital treatment.

First of its kind on the continent, and possibly anywhere, a radio discussion panel on venereal diseases control was carried by the trans-Canada network of CBC on Wednesday evening.

Mass meetings under auspices of the Labor-Progressive Party are to be held this Sunday, at the Hillcrest Arrol. The Elks attended in large numbers. At the graveside the Elks' Miners' Hall at 2 p.m., and at Blairmore Union Hall at 7. The speaker last rites were read by Bro. G. McF. will be Mr. James MacPherson, a native of Penrith, Cumberland County, England.

It all comes back to me now, as the stunk said when the wind changed.

Rev. John Wood has resigned the pastorate of the United church at Staveland.

Don't worry about getting older. The only time you stop getting older is when you are dead.

A man left the bulk of his fortune to his lawyer. If everybody did this, a lot of time would be saved.—Ex.

Snow in the mountains this spring is said to be 70 per cent of the normal average of the past 22 years. Last year it measured ten per cent over normal and this year thirty per cent under average.

Miss Catherine Patterson, who is taking a nursing course in a Vancouver hospital, arrived home last week on a holiday visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patterson. Her sister, Margaret, who had spent the past few months at the coast city, also arrived home recently.

Most weekly newspapers in Canada are warning subscribers that unless they are paid up to date, or can show that they are endeavoring to do this, it will be necessary to remove their names from the subscription lists. By attending to this matter promptly you will ensure receipt of The Enterprise just as promptly. Get busy now.

Blairmore's oldest citizen, the late Mr. William Harrison, was laid to rest in the Union cemetery on Sunday afternoon, following service held at the United church by Rev. E. B. he held this Sunday, at the Hillcrest Arrol. The Elks attended in large numbers. At the graveside the Elks' Miners' Hall at 2 p.m., and at Blairmore Union Hall at 7. The speaker last rites were read by Bro. G. McF. will be Mr. James MacPherson, a native of Penrith, Cumberland County, England.

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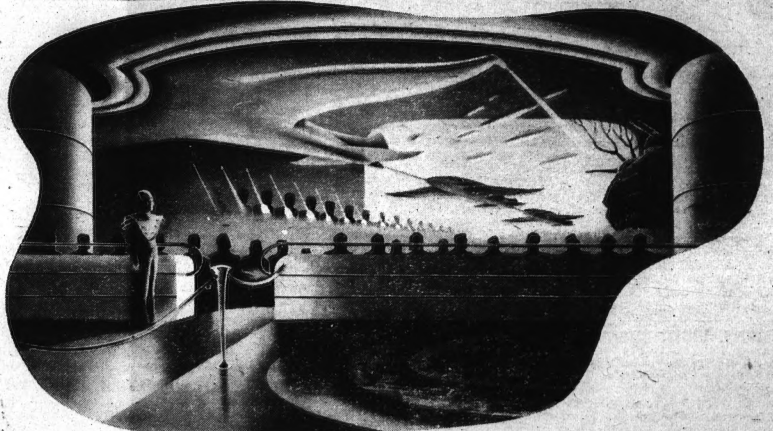
Do Your Part! Salvage every Scrap of Paper you can!

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL WAR SERVICES

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Anderson returned from the coast on Saturday last, where "Doc" had been under medical treatment for several weeks. They continued on to Calgary on Tuesday.

The marriage took place recently at Stettler of Miss Helen Kennedy to Warrant Officer Roy Style Pinder, RCAF, eldest son of Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Pinder. Rev. Pinder performed the ceremony.

Next! MOVIES THAT "LIVE AND BREATHE" ...the work of men who think of tomorrow



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No continent in all this world is more fortunate in the tremendous improvements in everyday living which await it. That is because we are blessed with MEN WHO THINK OF TOMORROW!

How important it is, therefore, that we make firmer our resolves and increase our daily efforts to bring that Tomorrow to pass. Remember, an enemy stands between us and Tomorrow. He is staking his all on keeping it from us. Can we do less than this to defeat his purpose?

Let us create Victory! Let us wrest it from the very soil we till, the very tools we use in our factories, the very dollars we earn! Keep up production rates, yes, exceed them. Buy more and more Victory Bonds and War Savings Certificates. Do anything and everything to help win this war.

Let's all be MEN WHO THINK OF TOMORROW!

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